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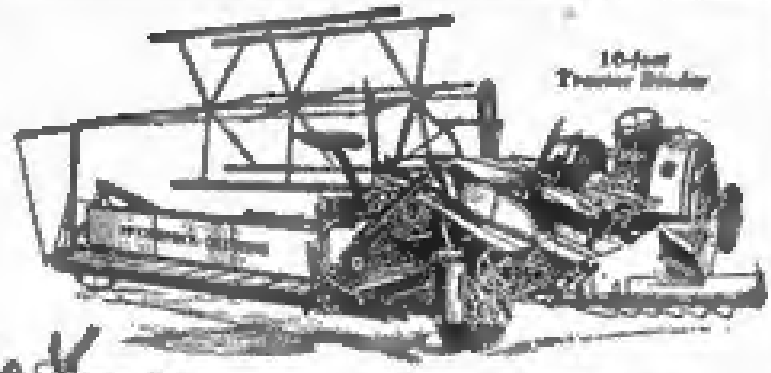

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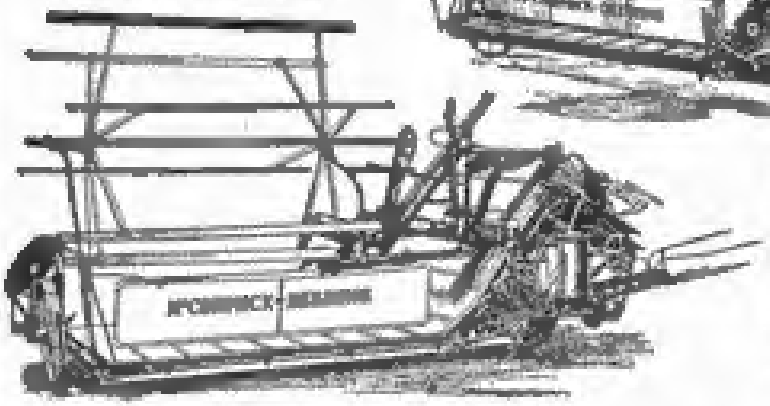

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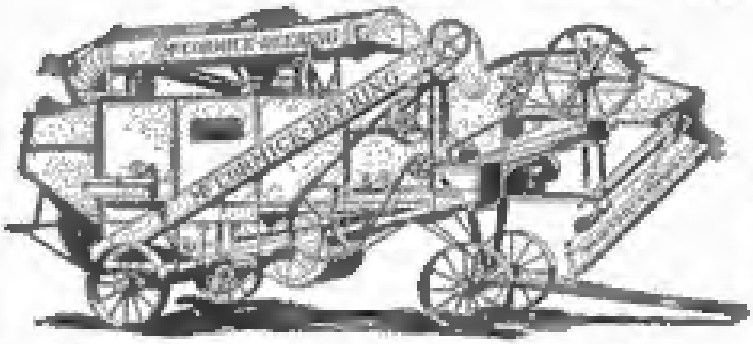

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EDITORIAL

THE WHEAT POOL CAMPAIGN BEGINS

Although the campaign to secure signatures to the second series of Wheat Pool contracts does not open officially until June 20th, the meeting of delegates and the rally of last week, have already brought in to Pool Head Office a large number of signed contracts. The campaign opens under the most favorable auspices. With the exception of a very small group of interests which clash with those of the primary producers, the people of the Province are almost unanimously in favor of the Pool, as the meeting of last week amply testified.

There is little more to be said, but a great deal of work to be done in laborious completion of the canvass. The Wheat Growers of Saskatchewan, whose drive commenced some time ago, have already made the continuance of their Pool a certainty, having signed up more than 50 per cent. of the acreage of that Province.

The record of the Wheat Pool is well-known; its achievements for the benefit of the producers have won world-wide recognition. It is completely under the control of the membership. It is the most democratic business institution in the world, the only great business enterprise which is under democratic control, and serving no other cause than the welfare of producers.

Do the farmers wish to retain in their own hands control of their own business, or to surrender that coveted privilege to others?

We do not think the answer to that question can be in doubt.

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LIBELLING THE BRITISH PEOPLE

Why do certain of the London correspondents of Canadian newspapers consistently and constantly libel the British people in every period of international crisis? Why do these correspondents almost invariably quote as representative British opinion the editorial pronouncements of the three leading newspaper millionaires who publish the least reputable newspapers, and ignore same leaders of public thought, such as the Manchester Guardian and other responsible dailies and weeklies?

Whatever the answer to these questions may be, there can be no doubt that an entirely erroneous impression as to the state of British opinion upon the subject of the breach with Russia, has been conveyed to the Canadian public. One of the most glaring instances of this kind of thing occurred when a despatch announcing the assassination of a Russian diplomatist in Poland, was accompanied by the editorial comment of one of the papers of Lord Rothermere, which appeared to condone the crime. The opinion of more reputable papers was omitted.

The effect of such despatches is to create the impression among those who have no more reliable sources of information, that the British people have lost the stability of character and good sense for which the race has been famous, and suddenly become a nation of megalomaniacs and neurotics. Of course, nothing of the sort has occurred. Even though the British Government has broken with Russia, and no matter what the circumstances of the breach, news of the assassination of Russian diplomats will cause no rejoicing in Britain, except among a negligible minority of the Fascist lunatic fringe.

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We quote on page 33 the opinion upon the Anglo-Russian crisis of the *Manchester Guardian*, a paper which combines devotion to British interests with tolerance and a conciliatory spirit, and accuracy and fairness in its news columns. It is evident, from a perusal of this newspaper and of many others, of all political colors, that there is a sharp division of opinion upon the Russian question. All of the non-Government forces were opposed to the breach of diplomatic relations, while many representative Conservative papers such as the *Spectator* and the *Observer*, hostile as they are to the Russian Government, doubted the wisdom from a British standpoint of severing relations. The Government candidate in the most recent by-election, when this question was much to the fore, received only one-fourth of the total vote in a constituency which in the general election returned a Government member.

We consider it highly undesirable that the Canadian people should be misled as to the state of British public opinion. There would seem to be little doubt that the opinion of Lloyd George, which we quoted last week, does more nearly reflect public opinion than any of the die-hards can reflect it.

If at any time the present crisis should become more acute, the Canadian Government and people might be called upon to make more important decisions than they have been called upon to make in the past. It is therefore essential that the news received by Canadians from overseas should be accurate and unbiased.

Sign-up Campaign Launched for Second Series of Wheat Pool Contracts

(By Pool Publicity Bureau)

The plans for the campaign for the signing of the Second Series of Wheat Pool contracts have been well prepared. All that now remains is for the canvass to be made.

The delegates met in Calgary on June 6th and 7th. They listened to an inspirational address by H. W. Wood, and to reports from Pool officials. They discussed Pool practices and policies.

Then the delegates divided and each district held a meeting. At these district meetings plans for the campaign were formulated.

THE TASK AT HAND

Nothing now remains but the actual canvass. The canvassers are to see every grain grower and solicit his signature to a contract.

Monday, June 20th, is the date of the official opening of the campaign. Many meetings will be held before that date, however, and many contracts signed.

At least ten meetings will be held in each district. All farmers, whether Pool members or not, are invited. Addresses will be delivered, and questions answered. Then details for the canvass of the district will be developed.

TIME FOR ACTION NOW

Every phase of the Wheat Pool has been discussed. Every argument advanced by opponents has been answered. Nothing now remains but to sign the Second Series contracts.

Advices from the delegates, from members of Parliament, from businessmen and from the farmers are to the effect that the sign up will be large. The Wheat Pool has been too great a success to be wantonly thrown overboard.

As one public man said, if the Wheat Pool goes down now, agriculture in Western Canada will be set back fifty years.

But this disastrous thing will not happen. The great majority of the farmers of Alberta have too much common sense!

FATE OF POOL AT STAKE

The burden of the work of the campaign rests upon the shoulders of the Wheat Pool locals. The officers and members of these locals are the men in the front line. The fate of the battle rests with them!

After all, the members are the Wheat Pool. They are the warp and woof of the Pool fabric. Upon them rests the decision as to the success of the membership drive.

SLOGAN: SIGN FOR SAFETY

The slogan of the campaign is "Sign for Safety." There is a greater assurance of safety for the grain growers of Alberta in the Wheat Pool than in any other form of marketing organization.

There is little else to be said. The time for talk is past. Action is what is wanted now.

A flood of contracts pouring into Head Office during the next few weeks is the most effectual answer that can be given to the efforts of Pool enemies.

Saskatchewan Pool Going Over Strong

Over fifty per cent of the present contract signers of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool have already signed the Second Series contracts.

This announcement was made by Pool officials at Regina last week. It means that at least over six and a half million acres are signed up for another five years.

The Saskatchewan Pool fixed a minimum of fifty per cent of the first sign-up before the Pool would operate for another five years. This has been obtained before the campaign for membership is really undertaken.

The Alberta Pool has something to shoot at in this record made by Saskatchewan. The Pool directors of this Province are confident, however, that Alberta, where the Pool idea was first started, will not lose its leadership.

MAKE CASH OFFER

The Saskatchewan Pool delegates also decided to make a cash offer of $5,360,783, payable August 1, 1927, to be submitted to the liquidators of the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Co. in final settlement of the indebtedness of the Pool to the company as at Aug. 1, 1927. This represents a discount of ten per cent on the outstanding indebtedness of the Wheat Pool in that Province to the shareholders of the Co-op. The Pool purchased the assets of the Co-operative Company for $41,359,310.

POOL BROADCAST

The Wheat Pool broadcasts every Friday evening, commencing at 8:30. Keep in close contact with our organization. Hear what is being said and send in any questions you may desire answered. Spend a half hour with your Pool each Friday evening.

ALONG THE BATTLE LINE

Manitoba reports the best spirit prevailing among Wheat Pool members—the best he has known since the Pool started, says Secretary Ransome.

Saskatchewan is "over the top" nicely and sailing along in splendid shape.

Alberta is down in the furrow hard at work. Watch the seed fly in the next few weeks!

STABILITY, CERTAINTY, EQUALITY

R. B. Bennett, M.P.—Orderly marketing means that instead of the grain being sent to the purchasers by 100,000 sellers there is but one. That means stability, certainty, equality of treatment, and an absence of that competition which, so far as business is concerned, brings chaos and disorder to its own people.

ON THE RIGHT ROAD

Three Hills Capital.—It seems almost unnecessary to say a word about the importance of everyone, farmer or businessman, interesting themselves in seeing that the Wheat Pool carries on stronger than ever. It is such an important, far-reaching step forward over the old way of marketing that we are too close to it, too bewildered by the noise, to thoroughly grasp its importance, not only to ourselves, but to those coming after us. No good thing was ever obtained without a struggle and some sacrifice. In the long run it will be returns that will decide, but don't think too much of returns just now. The main thing is to get behind it first and then returns will follow. The meanest man in the country is the one who hangs back to let his neighbor do the spade work, then steps in to share the benefits. Get behind the Wheat Pool, everybody. We are undoubtedly on the right road.

HAVE RIGHT IDEA

R. J. Daniel, Sibbald, Alberta: "I have been hearing your talks over the radio—reception is usually good, but W. W. Grant comes in best. From what I heard over the radio, I will say you have the right ideas and especially tonight's talk in reference to building elevators. If a man will not join the Pool unless you coax him in with a lump of sugar, or a lariat rope, he would likely take very little interest in the Pool anyway, unless he would get more for his wheat from the Pool every year than he could get if he had a seat on the Grain Exchange."

APPRECIATES BROADCASTS

A. R. Brown, Westlock, Alberta: "I have been very much pleased to get your broadcasts over CJCA. This is good and effective work and I hope you continue it. Nothing should hinder a 100 per cent sign-up of old members in this district and I fully expect to see many more come in for the next five year term. I hope to hear the different directors over the air shortly, particularly the "Chief."

Eminent Westerners Speak at Wheat Pool Rally in City of Calgary

(By Pool Publicity Bureau)

The Wheat Pool Rally held in Calgary on Wednesday, June 8th, was an event that attracted a great deal of attention all over the Province.

While a widespread rainstorm detracted from the attendance in the evening, there was a fair-sized audience in the Grand Theatre. The splendid addresses delivered during the afternoon and evening were broadcasted by radio and the people of Alberta thus given the opportunity to hear what prominent leaders had to say about the Wheat Pool.

The speakers on the afternoon program were: Mayor Osborne of Calgary; H. W. Wood, chairman of the Board of Directors of the Alberta Wheat Pool; Mayor Bury, of Edmonton; Senator Buchanan of Lethbridge and C. O. Smith, editor of The Calgary Herald.

In the evening addresses were delivered by Premier Brownlee, of Alberta; Premier Gardiner of Saskatchewan, and R. B. Bennett, K.C., M.P., of Calgary. Robert Gardiner, M.P., was chairman of both meetings.

The addresses were all of high order, being sincere, honest testimony of able men to the value of a movement that is vital to Alberta. The space of *The U.F.A.* is necessarily limited and full justice cannot be given to these speeches in this report. A pamphlet containing verbatim reports of all that was said is being printed and copies will be furnished to all who desire same.

Among those on the platform in the evening were: Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Minister of Agriculture for Canada, John I. McFarland, S. C. Rest, United States consul, H. W. Wood, Mayor Osborne, of Calgary, Mayor Bury, of Edmonton, and others.

The Mayor's Welcome

Mayor Osborne, of Calgary, extended a gracious welcome to the visitors and delegates saying that when any considerable body of men interested in any one line of endeavor decide upon a certain line of action as best suited to their requirements, he was free to say he was quite willing to bow to their judgment in the matter and say, "God bless you and I hope it will be a success."

SUPPORTS WHEAT POOL DRIVE

Hon. R. B. BENNETT, K.C., M.P.

PREMIERS AT POOL RALLY

ROBERT GARDINER, M.P.

Chairman R. Robt. Gardiner

The chairman, Robt. Gardiner, M.P., briefly outlined the purpose of the gathering. He summed up the situation by saying: "The board recognizes the fact that in 12 months' time the Wheat Pool contracts will expire. We have spent considerable money in providing for the facilities of handling our wheat and it is only natural that we should desire contracts renewed as soon as possible so as to know what should be done in regard to providing further facilities."

H. W. Wood's Address

H. W. Wood, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Alberta Wheat Pool, was given an ovation as he rose to address the meeting. He dealt in a comprehensive manner with the history of the Pool movement, and the progress made by that organization during the past three and a half years. He showed how centralized selling meant increased prices for wheat by relating the experience of the 1919 Wheat Board, of which he was a member. Then, when all the Canadian wheat crop was sold by one agency, the farmers got the very highest prices despite conditions which would tend to indicate a general lowering of prices.

The Canadian Wheat Pools have handled a total of 480,000,000 bushels of wheat since their organization, Mr. Wood stated, and the proceeds totalled $650,000,000. That is the magnitude of the business that is being carried on. "If we made one cent a bushel more for this wheat than could have been gotten from the old channels of trade, the returns would be $4,800,000. If we have raised the price ten cents a bushel our net profits have been $48,000,000 for the three Western Provinces--forty-eight million dollars more to pay interest and taxes and buy farm implements and support their families, than they otherwise would have had." Then Mr. Wood related the opinion of two prominent Australian agriculturists, who, after a study of the Pooling system in Western Canada, stated that they were convinced the Canadian Wheat Pool raised the price of wheat to Australian farmers by at least 25c a bushel. The Scottish millers declare the Pool has raised wheat prices and it is generally recognized throughout the world to-day that the Canadian Wheat Pools are the biggest factors on the world's wheat market.

Mr. Wood said that the business men of the Prairie Provinces were behind the Wheat Pools because they know that the success of the Pools means more prosperity for them. The banks are also interested because they know that every additional dollar the farmer gets for his wheat strengthens our security that much and enables the farmers to pay their debts to the banks as well as to other people.

Regarding the coming drive, Mr. Wood said he had no fear but that it would be a success, but it is the degree of success that is very important. We do not want to barely succeed, but we want to succeed to the utermost and we want to put forth our greatest effort to that end.

Mayor Bury, of Edmonton

In the course of an eloquent oration, Mayor Bury, of Edmonton, said that as he understood the Wheat Pool, it stood for three main things: to get greater profits for the farmer; to make

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SUPPORTS WHEAT POOL DRIVE

Senator W. A. BUCHANAN

NEWS OF THE ORGANIZATION

Activities of Locals and District Associations and Information from Central Office—Notes on Co-operation

Federal Conference of U.F.A. in Calgary on July 9th, 1927

Full Attendance Hoped For at Important Annual Gathering

The midsummer meeting of the U.F.A. Central Board will be held at Central Office on July 6th, 7th and 8th. Following the Board meeting a Conference will be held, as outlined below:—

To U.F.A. Federal Members, Presidents and Secretaries, U.F.A. Federal Constituency Associations:

In accordance with resolution passed at Conference of U.F.A. Federal Members, U.F.A. Executive and representatives of Federal Constituency Associations held in Calgary, in November last, which resolution was endorsed by the U.F.A. Board of Directors at a meeting held in January, a Conference of U.F.A. Central Board, U.F.A. Federal Members and two representatives each of the Federal Constituency Associations will be held at Calgary on Saturday, July 9th, commencing at 10 a.m.

A further resolution was passed at the November Conference to the effect that the Federal Constituency Associations should bear the expense of their delegates to the Conference, and that the railway fares of the delegates should be pooled. The railway fares of delegates to the meeting next July will accordingly be pooled.

Delegates to the Conference who wish to attend the Calgary Fair will be able to avail themselves of the opportunity as the Fair starts Monday, July 11th. Reduced railway fares to Calgary can be obtained by those travelling on the midnight train on the 8th and the morning of the 9th.

It is hoped there will be full attendance of U.F.A. Federal Members, and that each Constituency Association will send their full quota of delegates.

Yours very truly,
F. BATEMAN, Acting Sec.

BAR HARBOR PICNIC

Bar Harbor Picnic, an annual event sponsored by Vimy Ridge Local, will be held on July 20th. It was decided to make the date each year the third Wednesday in July.

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	$669.00

GOVERNMENT OPENS OFFICE IN SOUTH

An opportunity for the people of Southern Alberta to take up any business they may have with the Ministers of the Provincial Government without making a journey to the north, is now provided by the opening of an office by the Government in the Land Titles Building, Calgary. A secretary is there during business hours throughout the week, and can make appointments. Her telephone number is M6244. One member of the Government will be at the office on Thursday of each week.

Battle River U.F.A. Convention, July 18

Annual Convention of Federal Association to be Held at Wainwright

To all U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. Locals, Battle River Federal Constituency:

The Annual Convention of the Battle River Federal Constituency Association will be held at Wainwright on Monday, July 18th. Representation will be based on one delegate for every ten members, or major portion thereof, and all Locals are urged to have their full representation present. Dues can be paid in at that time if they have not been sent in previously.

It is important that we have a good turn out of members as there is some important business to transact. Robert Gardiner, Member for the Acadia Constituency, will address the meeting.

Visitors are cordially invited.

A. F. AITKEN,
President.

WHY NOT A BINDER TWINE POOL?

Editor, *The U.F.A.*:

I notice that a certain binder twine company has asked the U.F.A. to act as its agent for selling its twine. There are several adequate reasons why it is impossible for the U.F.A. to undertake to do this. But aside from that the binder twine question is a live one with the farmers. During the last three or four years the price of twine has been advancing and there does not appear to be any justification for it. There is every indication that there is a big combine to boost twine prices. There are a few twine manufacturers who are independent of the combine; this Mexican firm may be one of them.

There are over 130,000 farmers under contract to sell their wheat co-operatively through one Central selling agency and making a success of it. Why not have a binder twine Pool? Why not contract to buy our twine through one central buying Agency.

Think it over, brother farmers. It is up to us to take action. I am satisfied we are paying from $3.00 to $4.00 per cwt. too much for our twine.

Ft. Saskatchewan, Alta. A. LUNAN.

CANADIAN LABOR SUPPORTS CO-OPERATION

The importance of the co-operative movement in promoting the welfare of the workers was stressed at the annual conference of the Ontario Section of the Canadian Labor Party at Hamilton, Ont. The convention unanimously adopted a resolution calling the attention of the workers to co-operation, recommending a careful study of its principles and urging its practice under the guidance of the Co-operative Union of Canada. General Secretary George Keen of the Co-operative Union addressed the conference.

The Travelling Clinic Comes to Naco

The Greatest Work of the Farmer Government

By MRS. R. CLARKE FRASER

Naco, Alta.—For three days this has been a very busy centre. The Clinic has come to town. For two weeks two questions were on the lips of everyone: "When is the Clinic coming?" and "What doctor is to operate?"

U.F.A. Hall Becomes Hospital

The Clinic is over for this district this year. Dr. Washburn, Superintendent of the University Hospital, was in charge, accompanied by Dr. Learock, dentist; Miss Clarke, superintendent of nurses in the Department of Health, and two of her assistants, Miss Thompson and Miss Watherston. The U.F.A. hall was turned into a hospital. At one end, curtained off, were the operating room and dentist's office, and the balance of the hall was a ward containing fourteen beds.

There were 152 consultations, 48 extractions and fillings, and 28 operations for tonsils and adenoids.

Never has anything gripped the people as this has done. Never have I seen so many thankful parents. I do not know of one case that would have had attention for years, at least not until ill-health was apparent, had it not been for this clinic. Most of us thought our children healthy, until the doctor showed us the tonsils he had removed.

All Feel Confidence in Clinic

Once in a while during preparation for the clinic a parent was heard to say, "They will recommend operations whether needed or not." What was the surprise of many when some who came prepared to be operated upon were not allowed to go through it because of a slight cold! We all felt a confidence in having our children submit to the operation when recommended, when we saw such care exercised.

Several cases of unsuspected disease were located. One boy of twelve with pyorrhoea, with otherwise absolutely

sound teeth which would not have been sound long. A little girl was refused an operation because of a weak heart. This was never suspected by the parents, who will always feel that this Clinic has saved for them their girl.

At Bedella, following the Clinic held here, there were 80 consultations, 17 operations and 47 dental cases, and the Clinic then went on to New Brigden.

This country has been especially hard upon women and children, and, ok! so often has it been expressed—the hope that another year this work will be extended to take in adults.

This is the greatest work that can be undertaken by a government—greater even than education, though health and education must go hand in hand—and even if our Farmer Government had done no other great work, it will always be gratefully remembered and will go down to history for making "The Health of the Child the Duty of the Province."

Unity on the Wheat Pool Front

By J. P. WATSON, Chinook

The writer of the following article is a Wheat Pool Delegate. He has been active for many years past in all phases of U.F.A. work.—Editor.

Reminiscences of the eventful days of 1923, when anticipation was stirred to fever heat among the inaugurators of the Alberta Wheat Pool, were re-awakened during the last week when delegates and supporters of the Co-operative enterprise met in the City of Calgary to complete the arrangements for the big drive which is to put the second series of contracts across. The "Big Chief" hit the nail on the head when he drew attention to the failure of so many "second efforts" undertaken by the farmers of this and other continents. His point was that the Alberta Pool is at the testing time. If the basis on which the organization is founded were sound, in his opinion, nothing from outside could prevent its success, and the consensus of opinion seemed to be, from all angles, that its basis was and is unquestionably so.

CALM CONSCIOUSNESS OF POWER

Without going into the arguments in favor of the continuance of the Pool, suffice it to say that the enthusiasm, in my opinion, paralleled that of the summer of 1923, when farm opinion crystallised finally into the co-operative plan, after the unsuccessful efforts to make the National Board function. Lots of water has flowed beneath the bridges since those heetic days, but the wisdom born of experience has tempered the enthusiasm of wheat growers. No longer is there to be noted the fuss and fury which marked the inaugural effort. Instead there is a calm consciousness of power, the natural offspring of achievement, and in spite of all the noise raised by the few who, actuated by self interest, have seen fit to oppose the co-operative idea, the movement follows a sane, steady path to a worthy economic goal, line upon line, here a little and there a little, gathering impetus through rigid adherence to business principles, and cemented by the bonds of mutual helpfulness.

NOTABLE RALLY AT CLOSE OF CONFERENCE

The last day of the three-day conference, public rally day, was the best yet. It is quite clear that the farmers, on this question, do not stand alone. There will be no lack of assistance given by the business men of the Province, if the words and actions of the speakers at the rally form any criterion. There has always been more or less suspicion in our ranks that when a business man offered advice or assistance to our movement it was inspired always by there being some proverbial axe to grind. The array of influential men representative of all walks of industrial and political life, from the Federal Minister of Agriculture, the Premiers of two Provinces, a United States consul, a senator (a live one by the way), the mayors of two cities, one of which, on the admission of the chief executive, is largely agricultural, covering as it does over 27,000 acres; a former manager of one of Alberta's largest strings of elevators who has always recognized the absolute right of the farmers to inaugurate self-help, and last, but by no means least, the only Federal Conservative member between B.C. and the Great Lakes, lumped indiscriminately together on the platform—and not one jarring note.

MANY SCHOOLS OF THOUGHT UNITED

The Wee Premier from Saskatchewan won the hearts of the farm folks present, just as he is reported to have done in his own Province. As I listened to his well considered thought I was impressed indeed and the idea which kept buzzing through my head was, "Wouldn't he make a dandy U.F.A. member." The thought brought with it a shade of sadness, too, because I could not help but analyse the difference in the spirit displayed by the various political elements on this occasion, and that so evident in another direction but recently. Here we had a Premier representative of the U.F.A. idea, a Premier representative of Liberal thought, and the most prominent western Conservative, thrown together in the utmost unity for the achievement of an economic objective. There was no effort to "mix it." They were one in spirit and purpose. "The greatest good to the greatest number," outweighed all other considerations, and co-operation was a fact instead of a theory. The thing was so striking from that angle that the follies of political strife stood out in my mind's eye in a manner never before so glaring.

But I am discussing the Wheat Pool. There will be no failure. The jingle of loose coins in what were formerly empty pockets precludes the idea of failure. And that is reducing it to its lowest elements. There are other considerations more vastly alluring, and altruism today is no longer an empty word. We know now that no one can live to himself alone, and the more sheaves there are in the shock the more resistance is offered to the winds of bitter adversity.

Medicine Hat Annual Convention June 30th

To Officers and Members of U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. Locals:

The Annual Convention of the Medicine Hat Federal Constituency U.F.A. Association will be held in the TWAITES HALL, Third Street, at Medicine Hat, Thursday, June 30th, commencing at 1:30 p.m. sharp.

Business: Receiving of reports, election of two (2) delegates to attend the Conference to be held in Calgary, July 9th, election of officers and other business pertaining to the good of the Association.

Representation will be on the basis of one delegate to every ten members or major fraction thereof. **Every Local is entitled to one delegate.** Delegates will present to the Secretary of the Association, credentials duly signed by the Local Secretary. See Sections 4, 5, 6, omitting clause 3 of Section 6 (re travelling expenses) of the Constitution.

It is hoped that each Local will send their quota of delegates. Members and visitors will be cordially welcomed.

There will be a carnival the evening of June 30th, at Medicine Hat, besides the city is making preparations for a three days' Diamond Jubilee Celebration, July 1, 2 and 3. Delegates and visitors will thus be able to combine pleasure with business if any can remain and wish to do so.

Yours very truly,

W. S. HENRY, *President.*

W. G. H. BAKER, *Secretary.*

8 Aberdeen St., Medicine Hat

U.F.W.A.'s SPLENDID EDUCATIONAL WORK

By JACK ARMITAGE

"The hand that rocks the cradle rules the world," is a true adage today, when women are coming to a fuller realization of their political power, than ever before. This was indisputably demonstrated at a meeting at Rockyford, May 26th, addressed by that very able exponent of women's part in the political sphere, Mrs. F. E. Wyman, first Vice-President and Convener of the U.F.W.A. Presiding over the meeting was Mrs. Walrod.

Rockyford is not a large town. In fact, it is franchised as a village, but there were nearly forty women in Rockyford, wives and daughters of merchants, farmers and professional men, who found time from pressing household duties, which they gave to an intelligent interest in the lecturer's subject. That the interest given was intelligent could be gathered from the very pertinent and searching questions which the lecturer was called upon to answer at the conclusion of her address.

This lecture occupied close on to two hours, and it is not possible here to even attempt a detailed report; nor is that necessary, as Mrs. Wyman is addressing meetings at other centres.

Coming from a country (Australia) where women have for some decades been extremely active in politics, and recently from another (China) where women are fighting valiantly for those rights enjoyed by more fortunate Canadian women, it seemed to me that work such as Mrs. Wyman is doing was particularly valuable. Of what use are political rights unless

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We Are Coming—Fifty Thousand Strong!

Tune: "Marching Through Georgia"

The campaign for the second signup of the Wheat Pool is on — Now then, neighbors. All Together:

Rally 'round your standard boys, and keep the front rank strong.
Put your shoulder to the wheel and push your cause along:
That's the order for today, it is our working song,
While we are building the future.

Chorus: Hurrah! Hurrah! They're coming far and near!
Hurrah! Hurrah! We see our vict'ry clear,
If we work together and no opposition fear,
While we are building the future.

Come, you hesitating one, we have a place for you.
Be a member in the ranks of builders' merry crew;
Join your shouting to the rest and help the chorus through.
While we are building the future.

Chorus.

Not a ruined home or war shall ever mark our trail.
We will cause no mother's grief, no starving children's wail.
But all workers on our way as brothers we will hail.
While we are building the future.

Chorus.

Let us search the jungle through, together, you and I,
Cheering weary travellers on, and lift their spirits high,
Bringing drifting stragglers in, and pile 'em high and dry,
While we are building the future.

Chorus.

Rousing let your answer be, to neighbors' cheerful cry.
Show no yellow in your blood, nor green within your eye,
Tell the ox-cart muleteer: "You cannot pass me by."
While we are building the future.

Chorus.

—*John A. Lund.*

Sunny U.F.A. Local.

THE HISTORY of the ROCHDALE EQUITABLE PIONEERS' SOCIETY

Rules and Aims of the Society

By GEORGE H. HOLYOAKE

Part VI.

The founders of the Society were opposed to capital absorbing all profits arising from trade, and to keep upon a plan that should give proportionally the gain to the persons who made it, was a problem they had to solve. After meeting several times for the purpose of agreeing to laws, Charles Howarth proposed the plan of dividing profits on purchase—that is, after paying expenses of management, interest on capital invested at a rate of 5 per cent., the remaining profits to be divided quarterly among the members in proportion to their purchases or dealings with the Society.

FEATURE OF ROCHDALE STORE

This plan continues the feature of the Rochdale Store. The division of profits is made quarterly from the net proceeds of all retail sales in every department, after paying:

1. Expenses of management.
2. Interest on loans.
3. Reduction in value of fixed stock.
4. Increase of capital for the extension of business.
5. Two and a half per cent. (of the remainder, after the above are provided for) applied to educational purposes.

The residue thus accruing is divided among the members of the store in proportion to the amounts of their respective purchases during the quarter.

PRUDENTLY ESTABLISH REDEMPTION FUND

The pioneers prudently established early in their career, a Redemption Fund, which consists of the accumulation of entrance fees of one shilling (25c) from each member. The trade of non-members of the society affords some profit. These sums go to the Redemption Fund, which is a reserve to meet the depreciation of the fixed stock. In all financial reports of the Society a broad allowance is always made for depreciation of stock, and the fixed capital at stock taking is always appreciated by this means.

A new member must now hold five one pound shares ($25) as the capital. He pays 25c deposit on these on entrance, and 6c per week afterwards, until the $25 are paid up; but these payments are assisted by all the profits he makes by dealing at the store, and any interest which is fixed at 5 per cent., accruing to him as successive shares are made up. All profits and interest are not paid to the members, but carried to the credit of his shares until fully paid up.

MAY SUSPEND AND EXPEL MEMBERS

The Board of Directors may suspend any member whose conduct is considered to be injurious to the Society, and a general meeting may expel him, after which he has great difficulty in obtaining re-admission, if he desires it.

A member being in distress, may withdraw any sum he may have in the funds of the Society above $10, at the discretion of the Board of Directors. In the great distress period of 1849, many applications were made to be allowed to draw all out except $5. Though it is rarely that any Director puts a question as to the personal affairs of an applicant, yet narratives were volunteered of so painful a character that the directors learned to esteem that co-operation which has placed in their hands a wholesale power of relief. To this day these directors recur to the experience of that year when defending the Society.

No member can hold more than $300 of shares in the Society except by way of annuity, nor, under any circumstances shall his interest in the funds exceed $150. The directors can obtain loans, but not exceeding four times the amount of the paid up subscriptions of the members for the time being.

All disputes are settled:—

1. By the Directors, or
2. By appeal to a general meeting.
3. By arbitration.

COMPLAINTS MUST BE MADE IN WRITING

Complaints and suggestions relative to the qualities or prices of goods, or conduct of servants of the Society are required to be made in writing to the Directors, who record their decision thereupon; if not satisfactory the question is referred to a special general meeting whose decision is final.

One most honorable feature of the Society which proves the earnest desire of the members for self-improvement is the reservation of a portion of their funds for educational purposes. The 2½ per cent. of their quarterly profits assigned for division among the members, together with the fines accruing from the infraction of rules, constitute a separate and distinct fund, called the "Educational Fund" for the intellectual improvement of the members of the store, the maintenance and extension of the Library and such other means of instruction as may be considered desirable.

Their news room is as well supplied as that of a London club, and the library contains 2,200 volumes of the best, and among them, many of the most expensive books published. The Library is free. In their news room, conveniently and well fitted up, a member may read, if he has the time, twelve hours a day. (This was the time, before the public libraries were opened).

ESTABLISHED SCHOOL FOR YOUNG PERSONS

From 1850 to 1855, a school for young persons was conducted at a charge of 5c per month. The same year a room was granted by the Board for the use of from twenty to thirty persons, from the ages of fourteen to forty, for mutual and other instruction, on Sundays and Tuesdays. Many Members of Parliament, political economists, and some distinguished publicists, have made journeys of late years to the Rochdale Store.

The officers received with courtesy, and give information with enthusiasm to all enquiries. Indeed, they are often found travelling many miles from their homes to give evening explanations to some workmen's meetings desirous of information in practical co-operation, and of forming societies themselves. It will greatly promote the extension of co-operative societies if officers were trained who may be transplanted to districts commencing stores, to organize and conduct them. This co-operative colonization will save both waste and failure in many places.

Though an element of self-sacrifice for the good of others animates these co-operators, they are neither dreamers nor sentimentalists.

DECLARATION OF PRINCIPLES OF CO-OPERATION

In 1855, a co-operative conference was held at Rochdale. A declaration of the principles of co-operation was moved as follows:—

1. That human society is a body consisting of many members, the real interests of which are identical.
2. That true workmen should be fellow-workers.
3. That a principle of justice, not of selfishness, must govern our exchanges.

We think these three sentences honorably illustrate how much higher is the morality of co-operation than that of competition.

An acknowledgment should be made of the services rendered to co-operation by a body of gentlemen known in London as "Christian Socialists." Professor Maurice, Mr. Vansittart Neale, the Rev. Charles Kingsley, Mr. Furneval, Mr. Ludlow, and others, guided by their wisdom and sustained by their wealth, made efforts for 'Promoting Working Men's Associations' for which the people will be more grateful as they acquire more knowledge to appreciate their sympathy, their generosity, their patient and costly services. The "Working Men's College of London" is the crowning tribute of their love of the people.

The Rochdale Equitable Pioneers feel deeply the value of the services rendered to Co-operation by the Council of the Society for Promoting Working Men's Associations, and, as the fullest and most acceptable acknowledgement, they considered that the best thing they could do would be to attempt to continue the work which the Society for Promoting Working Men's Associations had begun, and perfect, if possible, the design which they were unable to complete.

The next article will deal with "The Old Co-operators—Why They Failed; The New Co-operators—Why They Succeed."

EDMONTON EXHIBITION

The prize list for the Edmonton Exhibition, July 18th to 23rd, includes classes for horses, cattle, sheep, swine, poultry, dogs, cats, districts exhibits, arts and crafts, and cooking and needlework, with prize money totalling $50,000. A special camping ground has been arranged, with wooden frames and floors for tents, and tents and cots may be rented from the Exhibition Association.

President Delivers Inspiring Address to the Junior Membership of the U.F.A.

E. W. Wood, at Junior Conference in Edmonton, Discusses Ideals of Organized Citizenship and Practical Steps to Be Taken to Establish Civilization on a Co-operative Basis.

University Week for Farm Young People opened at Edmonton on June 8th and will be concluded today. A detailed report of the proceedings will be published in our next issue. We print on this page the inspiring address delivered by President Wood last week in the University Building before the Junior U.F.A. Conference.

A year ago I had the honor and pleasure of speaking to this Conference on the responsibilities and opportunities of the younger generation of the U.F.A. During the past year changes incidental to the lapse of time have taken place, and I think I can say that in so far as our organization is concerned, progress has been made all along the line.

I want to talk to-day about some of the principles that lie at the base of our movement. Every constructive program, to be successful, must be based on right principles and carried out in a practical, methodical way. Our whole movement is based on the broad, general principle of co-operation. Without the adoption of this principle we can hope to get nowhere; we could not even make a start. The first individuals that met to form the first Locals did so by co-operating. These Locals increased in number and organized larger units. Each successive step in organization represented a forward step in co-operation. As the organization grew, efforts were made to inaugurate small reform measures—but nothing could be done except through co-operation.

NOTHING ACCOMPLISHED WITHOUT CO-OPERATION

The growth of the organization continued and its activities expanded, and still nothing could be accomplished without co-operation. The whole history of farmers' organizations teaches that wherever this principle has been abandoned, disintegration has immediately set in. This truth has manifested itself nowhere more than in political movements inaugurated by farmers who did not pay due regard to organized co-operation in carrying on their activities; but it is also true in all other activities. Wherever there is no systematic working together among the masses, there is no strength. Just in proportion to their intelligent carrying out of this principle is their strength developed. This holds good in all their social activities, including both industrial and political.

But co-operation may be for a false purpose, as well as for a true one. It may be for robbery, murder, or any other kind of crime, or it may be for the prevention of these things. It may be to make war, or it may be to prevent war. It may be to exploit industry, or it may be to promote industrial strength and efficiency. Organized co-operation is for the purpose of developing strength, and that strength is used for whatever purpose the co-operators may design.

Co-operation means working together, pulling together, adding strength to strength. We see great ships in the harbor, held at anchor by cables made of very small individual fibres. There are not enough of these fibres in the world, used individually, to hold one ship, but when a certain number are brought together and organized co-operatively, first, so many in a strand (our local unit) and then so many strands organized into a cable (our organization) where all are resisting and pulling together, its strength is measured only by the extent of its organized co-operation.

So it is with the farmers, or any other element of the masses of the people—as individuals they have no social or industrial strength, and can develop none. As individuals, all the wheat growers in the world are not able to intelligently negotiate the price of one bushel of wheat on the world's market according to its true value, as measured by prices they have to pay for the necessities, comforts, and conveniences of life.

GREATEST EVIL IN INDUSTRY TO-DAY

We hear much light talk about the "law of supply and demand." Supply and demand are held captive by manipulators of prices, and the natural law which should govern them is inoperative. The prices of primary products and those of finished products are systematically kept on entirely different levels. This wrong relationship of prices is the greatest evil in industry to-day, and while it promotes a certain amount of unnecessary and vicious accumulation of wealth, it also creates a greater amount of unnecessary poverty and misery among the masses, and hopeless instability in industry. The honest law of supply and demand must be liberated and enthroned over industry, and under its dominion all prices brought into right relationship with each other. Then, and not till then, can industry be organized in the service of humanity, giving to each according to what he puts in.

But who is going to do the work necessary to bring about this great reform? For the reform IS great; the work will be difficult, and progress slow. Those who are benefitting by present wrong conditions will not do it; on the contrary most of them will hinder it. Those who are satisfied with the poor success they are making of standing up against present conditions will not do it. This leaves those who are failing and know that they are failing, to carry the work on to completion. This means that vast majority usually spoken of as the common people, or the masses, among whom the farmers stand out as the most numerous and the most interested one element or class. On us, as farmers, more than on any other one class of citizen, rests this responsibility. But at the same time, just in proportion to that responsibility, opportunity is laying her richest offering at our feet. The question is: will we accept this gift of opportunity's and take up the burden of responsibility?

NO BLAZED TRAIL TO HIGHER SOCIAL CONSTRUCTION

In answer to that question it is only fair to say that farmers are already answering the call and taking up the work; but there is no blazed trail to higher social and industrial construction beyond the place we have already reached. Many of the pioneer organized forces lost their way and turned back discouraged. But others, responding to the urge of necessity, have organized and gone forth in search of the pass that leads into that delectable land of Humanity-serving industrialism.

To Western Canada, newly settled by pioneer spirits drawn from the uttermost corners of the earth, it has been given to carry the banner of progress further toward the borders of that land than has before been reached by like explorers in any other country. In this enterprise Alberta has steadily held position in the front ranks. This is the position that the farmers of Alberta occupy to-day in an organized movement, than which none in the world is greater. Can we hold that place in the ranks of the onward-marching forces of progress during the next generation? The answer to that question rests with the young men and women in this conference, and with those whom they represent. We can keep that place, but it will require sincerity of purpose, earnest effort and a long, clear vision.

WILL TAKE OVER GOING CONCERN

In taking up this work you will have advantages never enjoyed by a previous generation. You will be taking over a going concern, and will not have to organize and learn to operate it by experimentalizing. You will see it in operation and be able to study its principles and discover its defects while others still bear the responsibility. You will not have to assume full responsibility all at once, but will take it over gradually as necessity may require and your fitness justify. None of these things, however, relieves you from the press of responsibility; but they should rather stimulate you to diligence in preparing to meet that responsibility.

Now, as one who has long been engaged in this work, in a more or less active way, I want to give you, who are just taking it up, a few words of advice. **In the first place, fix your ideal just as high as your reasoning faculties are capable of reaching. Personally I do not know any solid basis on which to rest that ideal this side of a social system based on service, justice and harmony, developed to perfection. This means nothing less than perfect man and a perfect social system, or, scripturally speaking, the "Kingdom of Heaven"—the thing that Christians have been so long unconsciously praying for.**

This, as I have already said, involves a constructive program which must not only be carried on in a practical but also in a scientific way. While this branch of science has been sadly neglected

Charles A. Lindbergh Gives Example to Youth

From Charles Lindbergh

News from Alberta Wheat Pool Head Office

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Alberta Wheat Pool Will Build 2,400,000 Bushel Terminal at Coast

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Minute Editorials

George Ber-
nard Shaw
ridiculed so the-
ory, and were
a tradition
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Pool members the best price obtainable for their wheat

Pool offs all have been selling to perfect. Provincial [illegible] down [illegible] best price [illegible]

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"Observer's" Observation on Dr. Magill's Visit

The Robert Magill Report of the Winnipeg [illegible] Alberta [illegible] Edmonton and [illegible] [illegible] of the newspaper [illegible] Magill [illegible]

[illegible] Robert Magill [illegible] Winnipeg [illegible] Magill [illegible] professional [illegible]

[illegible] Winnipeg Grain Exchange [illegible] [illegible]

Alberta Wheat Pool's Operating Costs

[illegible] Selling Agency [illegible] was one-fifth cent per bushel.

[illegible] operation the Alberta Pool in 1922—[illegible]

[illegible] reserve [illegible]

The only remuneration paid the members of the Board of Directors, including the Chairman [illegible] allowance [illegible] by the delegates at [illegible] including all travelling expenses, was $ 3,705.70

EXTRACT FROM AUDIT OF POOL BOOKS MADE By JOHN SCOTT & CO., Chartered Accountants

OPERATING COSTS OF ALBERTA WHEAT POOL IN [illegible]

Operating Expenses	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Salaries	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] and Supplies	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Telegrams and Telephones	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Postage	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Rent		[illegible]	[illegible]
Taxes		[illegible]	
Elevating Expenses		[illegible]	
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Total Operating Ex[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
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Total [illegible]			[illegible]

OPERATING AND ADMINISTRATION EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31ST AUGUST 1936

General Office Expenses

Operating		
Salaries	[illegible]	
[illegible] and Stationery	[illegible]	
Telephones and Telegrams	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	
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[illegible]	[illegible]	
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Repairs and Alterations		[illegible]
		[illegible]
Fixed		
Rent	[illegible]	
Taxes and Insurance	[illegible]	
Insurance, Legal and Depreciation at Offices and Equipment	[illegible]	
		[illegible]

GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	
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[illegible]		[illegible]
Total [illegible] Administrative Expenses		[illegible]

INTERIM PAYMENT EXPENSES

Salaries	[illegible]	
[illegible] and Supplies	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	
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[illegible]		[illegible]
[illegible] Farmers' Expenses		
Salaries	[illegible]	
[illegible] and Supplies	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	
Miscellaneous	[illegible]	
		[illegible]
[illegible] Office [illegible] Expenses after [illegible]		[illegible]
Total operating and [illegible] expenses		[illegible]

Extract from Audit of Pool books made by Harvey Martin, Chartered Accountants

OPERATING AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES YEAR ENDING 31ST AUGUST 1936

Operating		
Salaries	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	
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Total operating expenses		[illegible]
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[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	
[illegible]	[illegible]	
Total Administrative Expenses		[illegible]
Total Operating and Administrative Expenses		[illegible]
Deduct		
Dividends, Interest, etc. Earned		[illegible]
Total Expenses		[illegible]

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DOMINION RUBBER COMPANY LIMITED

In Radio Address Director Gives Information About Pool Elevators

The Pool Elevator Policy

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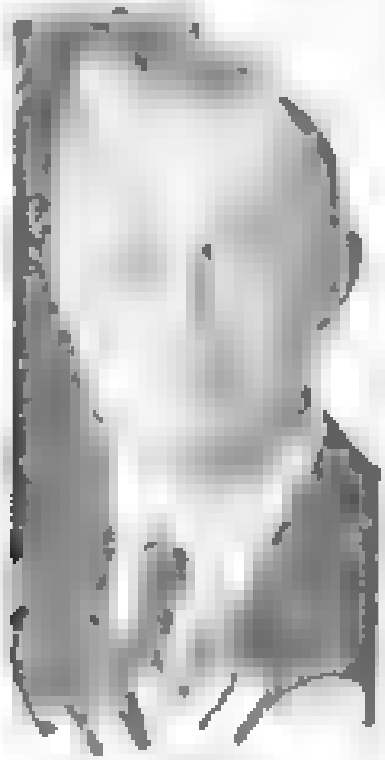

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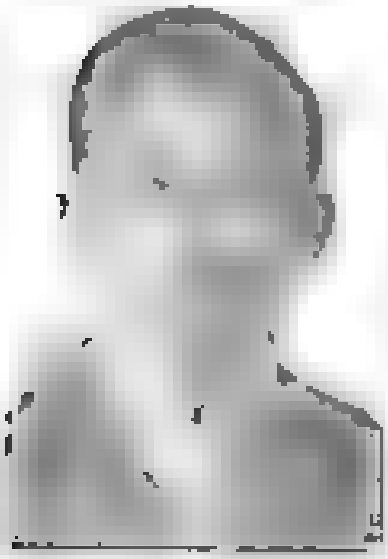

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Information for Pool Canvassers and Members

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Answer to Millers and the Grain Trade

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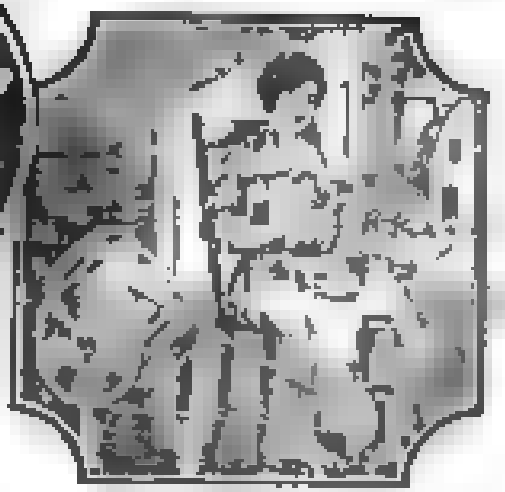

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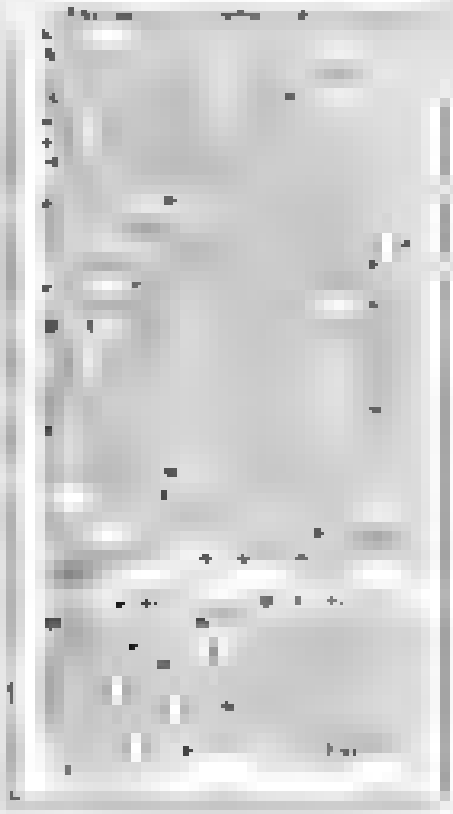

U.F.W.A. EXECUTIVE AND BOARD MEETING

The U.F.W.A. Executive will meet on July 4th and the U.F.W.A. Board on July 6th, in Calgary.

ACTIVITIES OF THE ORGANIZED FARM WOMEN

LAWS RELATING TO WOMEN AND CHILDREN

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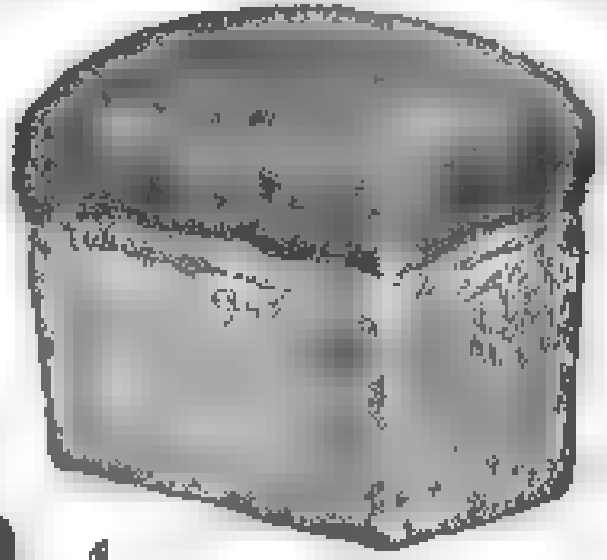

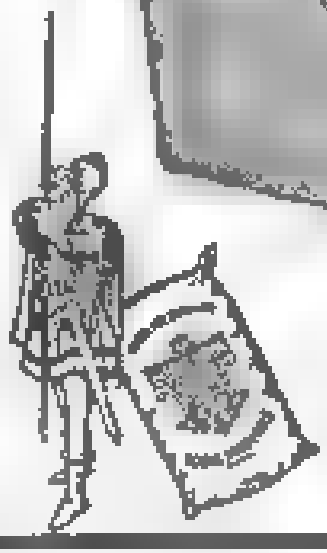

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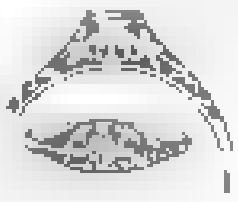

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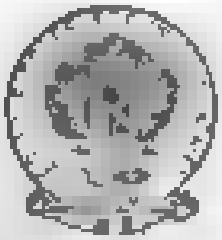

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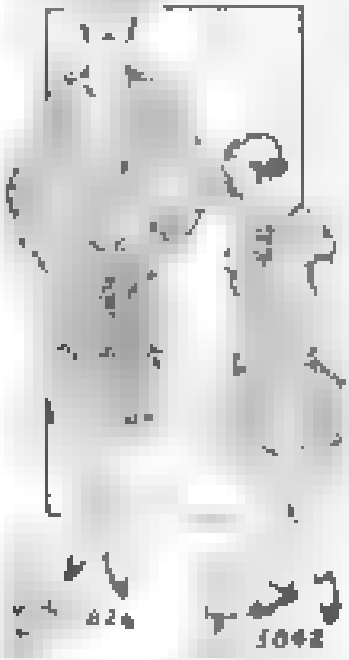

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President Wood's address to the Junior Courts [illegible] will be found elsewhere in this issue.

CHRIST AT EDUCATIVE CO-OP BANK OF INDIA

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A REFLECTION

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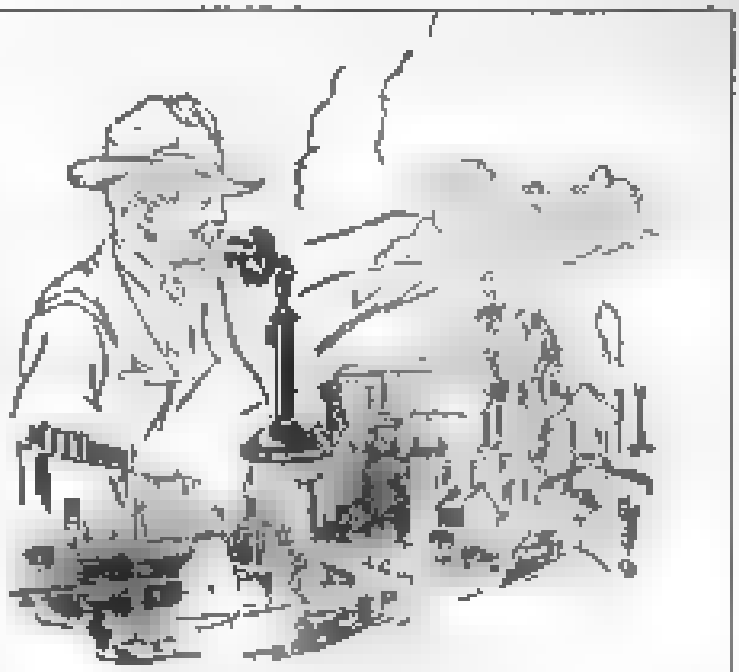
BAD BEE BATED WRONG

[illegible] "You be back for a [illegible] but she proved to be a shipper!"



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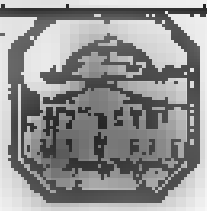

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ALBERTA DAIRY POOL

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81 per cent in the last decade of the 19th century.

It will be seen of course that industries serving nearby farming populations are vitally affected by the condition of agriculture, as are certain farming groups such as dairymen, as once free children in business supplies say. Speaking generally, however, there appears to be no doubt that the city is becoming less and less dependent on the immediate condition of agriculture. In the long run agricultural depression will react adversely on industry, since farmers who are not adequately rewarded will diminish their production of traffic by farm, as many are now doing. The final result must be higher prices for the products of the farm.

But such shifts take place very slowly. What is evidenced by the continuance of agricultural depression for years after the general industrial recovery of 1922 is fairly evident from the experience of the past few years, that under certain conditions industry can thrive at the expense of agriculture for a considerable time.

Correspondence

WHY THE GRAIN TRADE IS WORRIED

Editor The U.F.A.

Why is a Farmer? the pamphlet issued by a North West grain broker, which I saw some time ago and read, is a fine piece to be circulated. But the farmers can see one thing who pulled it out. Why is a Farmer? Well, we are trying at both ends to be a hard upon the grain trade, in many ways.

We are [illegible] the car where we sell our wheat in an order to the other with a gun, people to farmers and in and principal. There of course of [illegible] be made to grain, car and even forcing upon the farmer all he may [illegible].

The grain trade has been very quiet since the Pool came into operation until six months ago. Then they found out that we were losing in weight for the and getting the rich demand they were getting up to four years ago.

We have seen a move back in the wheat to the pounds of brokers, last fall and will do now dollar. And so on [illegible] the boys primers get a [illegible] price? I [illegible]. The grain trade [illegible] a lot of rich blood from the farmer, he are down and out.

We [illegible] that the Pool has been a blow to the grain trade in other, they have not got [illegible] harvest to be able to [illegible] an [illegible] plant evident and be able to handle those big far [illegible] he [illegible] as they did up to four years ago.

THOS. SOUTLEY

Dunbain View, Alta.

U.F.A. RESOLUTIONS ON REDISTRIBUTION

Editor The U.F.A.

I will try to [illegible] a week as possible a given [illegible] brief on outline of [illegible] independent proposed to be the distribution Resolution at the last U.F.A. [illegible] has in mind.

(1) The legislature [illegible] would decide on the number of seats for the Province.

(2) The number of seats made according to population, with some con-

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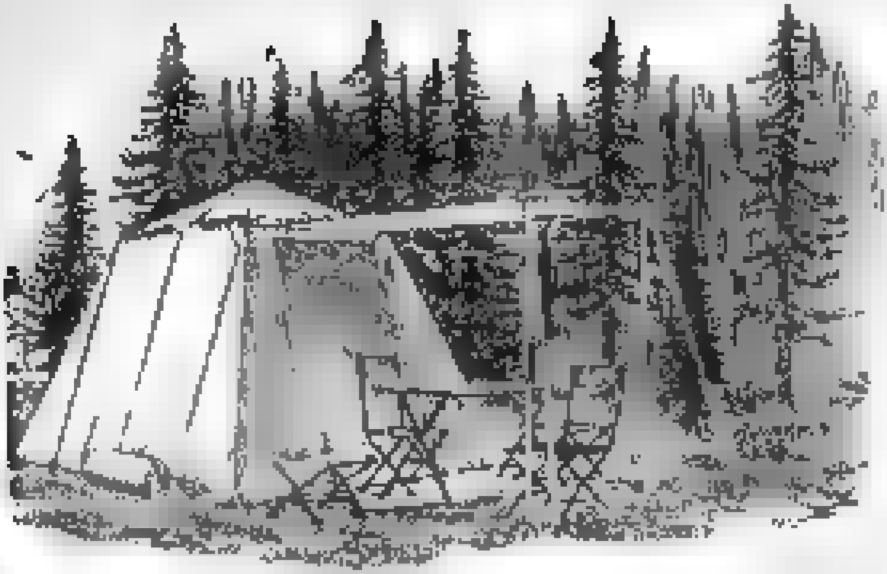

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[illegible] growth [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]. The rural area [illegible] divided as nearly equal as possible.

[illegible]. The cities allotted the number of seats they are entitled to.

[illegible]. The towns and villages along different railway lines to be grouped into constituencies according to population [illegible].

[illegible]. The mining areas grouped into [illegible] number of constituencies [illegible].

[illegible] would give all classes [illegible] people in the Province [illegible] and [illegible] representation [illegible] along the [illegible] along the old [illegible].

This may not come up to the ideal [illegible] but [illegible] at least [illegible] and should [illegible] consideration [illegible] when redistribution comes up for [illegible].

Yours truly,

[illegible] HANSON.

[illegible] Valley, Alta.

DRIFT OF POPULATION CITYWARDS

Editor, The U. F. A.:

It is [illegible] doubting who [illegible] the remedies [illegible] are prescribed for the ills of agriculture are based upon an accurate knowledge and understanding of the nature of the malady. The [illegible] statement of [illegible] and [illegible] for relief may be [illegible] as follows:

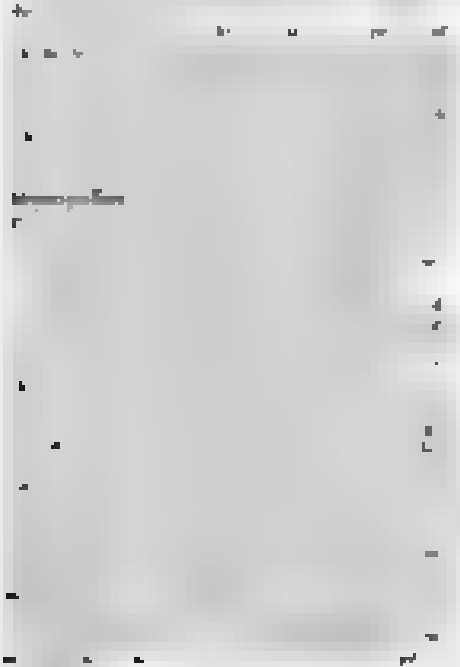
[illegible] the product of his labor [illegible] commodities the balance of exchange [illegible] against [illegible]. The [illegible] of the allegation may be [illegible] of the farmer who received a bill [illegible] $165 [illegible] defending [illegible] in [illegible] nominally [illegible] of fifteen dollars [illegible] in a claim for damage might [illegible] four dollars [illegible] the sum. The farmer [illegible] that bill with [illegible] much [illegible] might be [illegible] farmer who [illegible] sick child and [illegible] charged [illegible] disproportion [illegible] of less degree will [illegible] exchange [illegible] mean [illegible] his [illegible] hunting a [illegible].

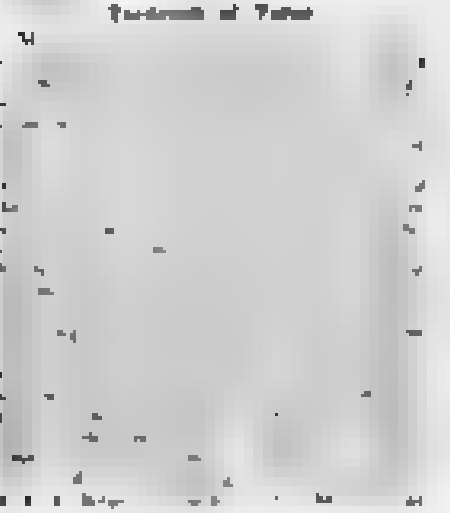
Price Levels Uneven

Price levels are greatly uneven. Taking the price which would be established by the free operation of the law of supply and demand [illegible] the natural price of [illegible] the price of the farmer's produce is depressed far below that point while the price of [illegible] purchase [illegible] of [illegible]. The hope and [illegible] of the farmer hinge upon a proper adjustment of these [illegible].

How can it be accomplished?

The wheat pool [illegible] Pools will help [illegible] remedy. The [illegible] the removal of [illegible] hindering the free action of the law of supply and demand. They should not seek in raising the price of the farmer's products [illegible] to [illegible] increase [illegible] beyond it. Should they attempt to interfere with the proper functioning of supply and demand, by manipulating [illegible] or in any other manner they would be just as reprehensible as the [illegible] being monopolists and [illegible] they are able [illegible] regulate





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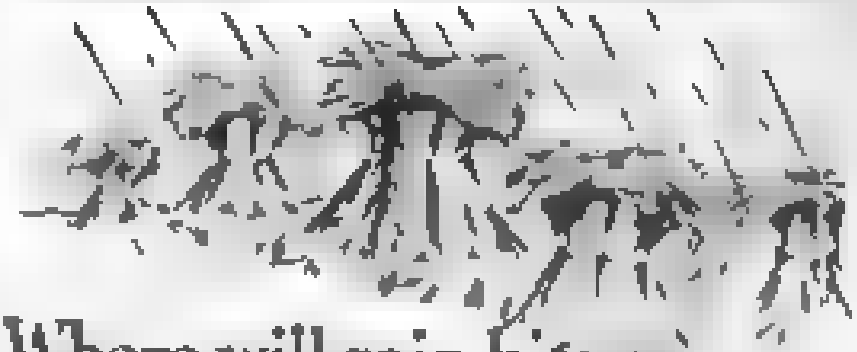

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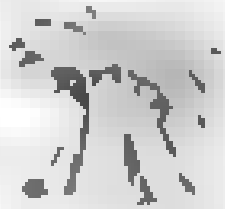

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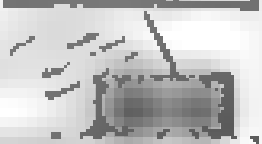

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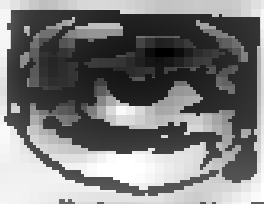

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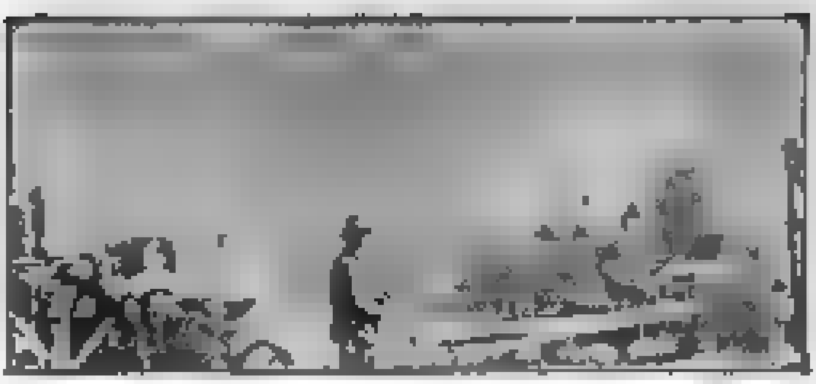

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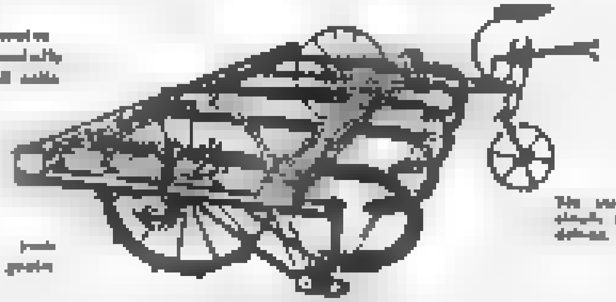

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intelligently overlooked. Her choice of a subject [illegible] of interest to women at this time [illegible] Allen's logic was [illegible] for want of a more expressive term, particularly happy. Then, too, her subject was well handled and of equal importance, thoroughly grasped by her audience.

[illegible] much is to be accomplished [illegible] who work equally hard [illegible] There are many [illegible] under which [illegible] labor [illegible] point [illegible] is to be found [illegible] only.

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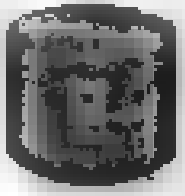

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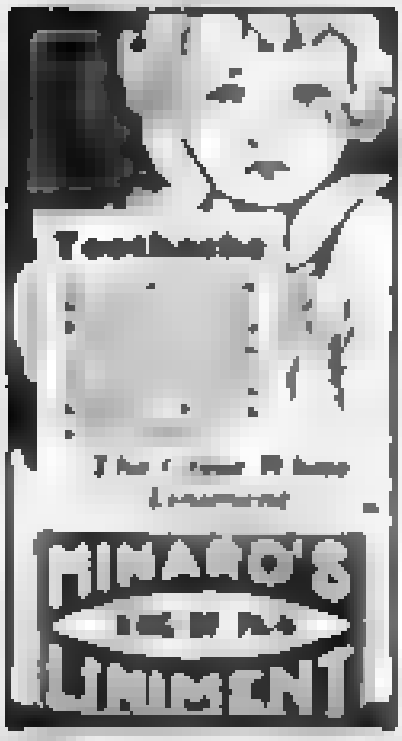
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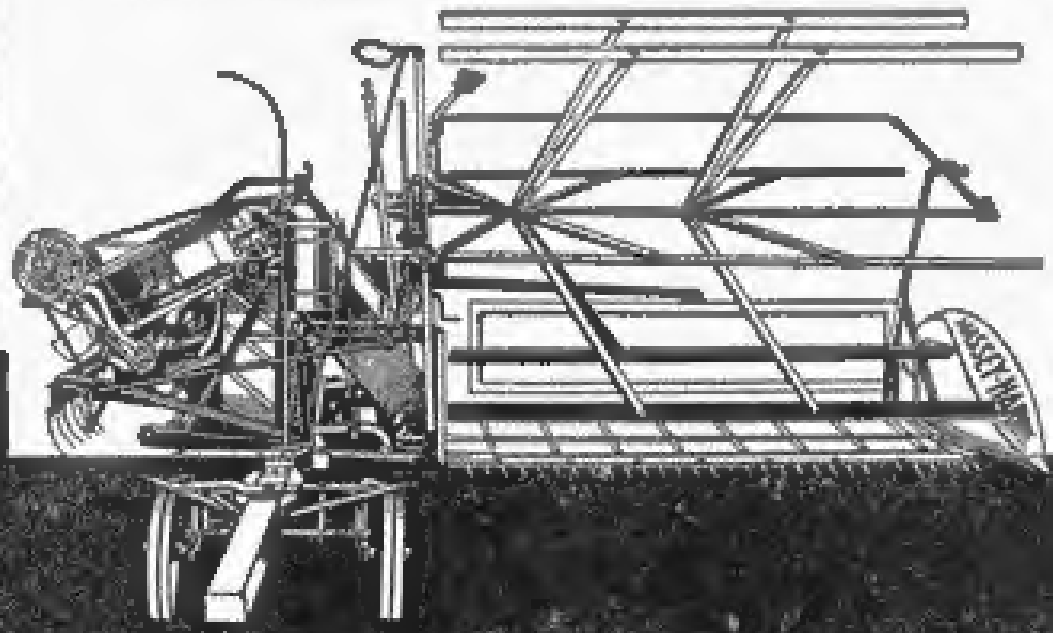

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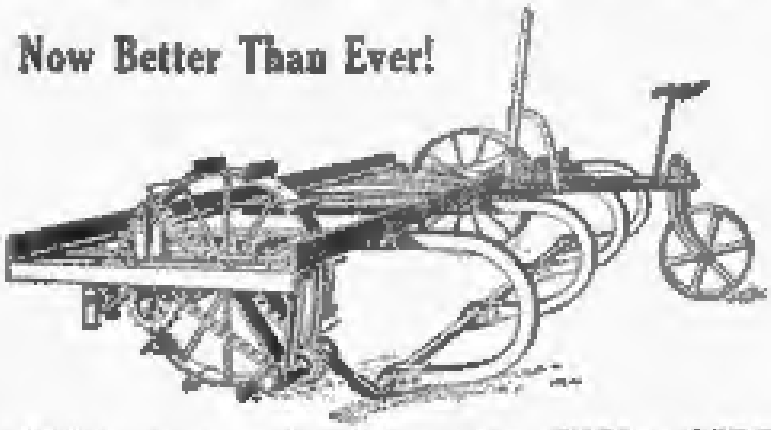

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the facilities in order to make every bushel of wheat that goes into the Pool of more value to the farmer who put it in."

Premier Gardiner related his own experiences in marketing wheat raised on his farm, showing the uncertainties and losses to which he was subjected. He explained the Pool idea as being two-fold. First, the regular and certain marketing of grain and second the stabilization of prices at a level corresponding to the expenses incurred by the producers as determined by the prices of other products.

The speaker said that Saskatchewan was anxious that the sign-up of the contracts should go over strong in Alberta and he predicted a real surprise for those who thought the sign-up would not go over successfully in Saskatchewan.

Hon. R. B. Bennett, K.C., M.P.

R. B. Bennett made a powerful plea for the Alberta Wheat Pool, concluding in this way: "If the idea is continued that has existed from the start of the pooling organization; if those conditions govern you in the years to come; I am certain that instead of being sixty or seventy per cent., that the farmers will realize the duty and obligation which is on them to make certain this great farmers' movement, will be even stronger. *If it fails you have struck a blow at farmers' organizations which will not be recoverable in the next half century. I leave this problem to you and by signing up you will be doing Alberta a service, and one to Canada not equalled since Confederation.*"

Mr. Bennett commenced his address by stating that he was no new convert to the Pool idea, having been convinced that the old system was conceived to be a grievance by the farmers and that they were unhappy under its regime.

The speaker said that the establishment of the Alberta Wheat Pool will rank as one of the greatest exploits. He also said that he believed that there was no Pool so well managed as Alberta's and in this regard he paid a tribute to the man whom he deemed responsible. "*No man or woman in this country who realizes the high ideals of public service, the honesty of purpose, the integrity of character, which characterize H. W. Wood, but will realize how great is the debt we owe to the leader of a great movement,*" Mr. Bennett declared.

Only from within can the Pool be destroyed, Mr. Bennett said, from dissension, suspicion, disbelief and eventually wreck and ruin. The great thing you must get your minds settled upon is that you are now no longer confronted with a theory but with a condition that the Wheat Pool has functioned for four years, discharged its honest responsibilities, and is now seeking a mandate to continue its operations.

The speaker said that the Pool's methods of payment had changed economic conditions in Alberta. Taxes have been paid, interest on mortgages met, and business has been conducted on the budget system. Do away with this Pool and what will you have? What will replace it? That is the problem. Your work in the next few weeks lies in having these Pool contracts signed and when they are signed see that they are not broken. *It is better not to have sound than to have sound and not kept that sound.*

CORRECTION

In the introduction to the article by Mrs. H. E. Spencer on page 24 of this issue it is stated through a printer's error that Mrs. Spencer was Vice-president of the U.F.W.A. in "1916 and 1927." This should read "1916 and 1917."

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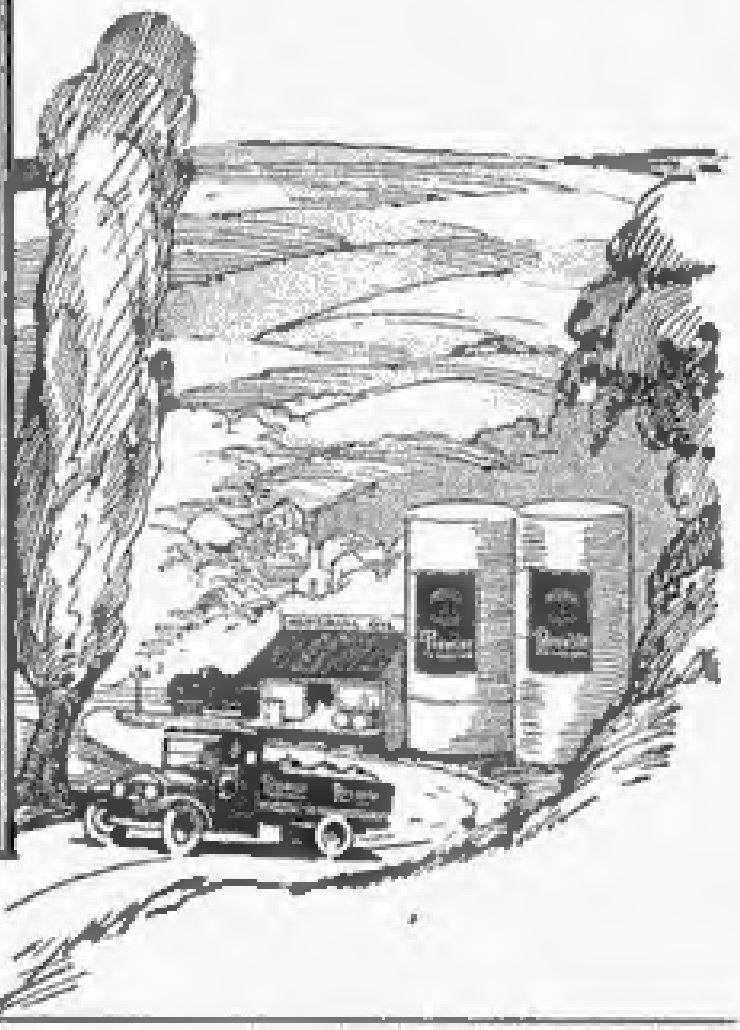

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